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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

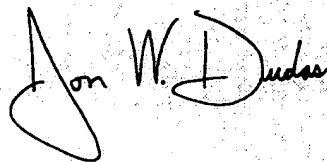
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Foreign Patent Documents " JP 32-9393 S 12/1957 "
should read -- JP 32-9393 S 11/1957 --;
" WO 0 670 370 9/1995 "
should read -- EP 0 670 370 9/1995 --.

Column 14, lines 42 and 43, " coryneform wherein the bacterium is "
should read -- wherein the coryneform bacterium is --.

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